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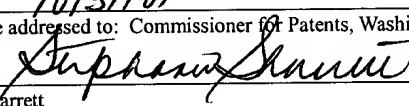
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

In connection with the above-identified patent application, entry of the amendments and consideration of the application in view of the following remarks are respectfully requested.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8

I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on 10/31/01, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231

  
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